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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4158

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SUB: CERP 4291 MINERALS QUESTIONNAIRE

REF: STATE A-2761 OF APRIL 4, 1974

1. FOLLOWING DATA FROM GVN SOURCES ABOUT THE QUANTITY OF MINERALS
PRODUCED IN RVN FOR YEARS INDICATED ARE SUBMITTED IN RESPONSE

REFAIR:

COMMODITY	UNIT	CY1971	CY1972	CY1973
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APATITE		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
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BASALT,

RHYOLITE	CUBIC METER	22,500	22,000	22,000
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BRIQUETS,

FUEL		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
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CEMENT	METRIC TON	263,300	243,200	273,200
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CLAY:	CUBIC METER	838,000	1,215,000	1,256,000 (EST)
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KAOLIN	CUBIC METER	420,000	420,000	420,000 (EST)
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OTHER	CUBIC METER	418,000	795,000	836,000 (EST)
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COAL,

ANTHRACITE		NO PROD.		
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GOLD:		NO PROD.		
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CRUDE		NO PROD.		
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FINE		NO PROD.		
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PORPHYRI	CUBIC METER	433,000	433,000	433,000
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LATERITE	CUBIC METER	394,000	400,000	394,000
LIME		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
LIMESTONE	CUBIC METER	1,497,000	1,395,000	1,550,000
QUARTZ	CUBIC METER	1,000	1,000	1,000
ROAD METAL		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
SALT:	METRIC TON	134,200	192,000	200,000
ROCK		NO PROD.		
OTHER	METRIC TON	134,200	192,000	200,000
ROCK		NO PROD.		
OTHER	METRIC TON	134,200	192,000	200,000
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GRAVEL	CUBIC METER	608,000	675,000	680,000 (EST)
SILICA SAND	CUBIC METER	195,000	195,000	195,000 KEST)
OTHER	CUBIC METER	405,000	420,000	405,000
SCHIST	CUBIC METER	8,000	60,000	80,000 (EST)
OTHER				
MINERALS:				
GYPSUM	METRIC TON	7,000	7,000	7,000
SANDSTONE	METRIC TON	15,000	100,000	100,000 (EST)

2. ACCURATE FIGURES ON THE VALUE OF MINERALS PRODUCED ARE NOT
 RPT NOT AVAILABLE. DATA WERE PROVIDED BY DIRECTORATE OF
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